

Rev. Claude R. Arbogast

Rev. Claude Roy Arbogast, 83, of Canwas, died Thursday, May 11, 1989, in the Summersville Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Born September 21, 1905, at Danmore, he was the son of the late Frank and Josephine Tallman Arbogast.

He was a Methodist minister having served over 32 years in the West Virginia United Methodist Conference at Paint Bank, Green Bank, Kicklans, Cheat Neck, Beach Creek and Earl Charge, retiring in 1972. He was a member of the Canwas Ruritan Club.

Surviving him are his wife, Jane Elizabeth Arldridge Arbogast; a son, Donald Lee Arbogast, of Roanoke, Virginia; a daughter, Dorothy Josephine Satch, of Maryville, Tennessee; two sisters, Miss Marge Arbogast, of Marlinton, and Lucille Dilley, of Buckeye; and three grandsons.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Jordan Chapel United Methodist Church at Canwas by the Revs. Harold Duskey and Rev. Ball. Burial was in the Walker Memorial Park at Summersville.

Any donations of sympathy may be made to the UMCOR, P.O. Box 100, Jordan Chapel United Methodist Church at Canwas.

The Register-Tribune
5/18/89

(over)

Engagement Announced

Peach Creek -- In an open church wedding to be held June 6 at the Peach Creek Methodist Church, Miss Dorothy Arbogast, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Claude R. Arbogast, of Peach Creek, will become the bride of Donald Wayne Lasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lasley, of Jackson, Tennessee.

Miss Arbogast has a B. A. degree from Berea College, in Kentucky. She is employed by the Logan County Board of Education.

Mr. Lasley was a student at Berea College, in Kentucky and he is on Army duty at Fort Story, Virginia.

Miss Arbogast is the granddaughter of Mrs. Clyde Andridge, of Mill Point,

The Pocahontas Times

11/30/1911 Pocahontas Times

Local mention

a little child of Mr and Mrs. John Tallman,
of near Cass, died November 20, 1911 of Croup. The
remains were laid in the Cassel burying ground.

Go to thy rest fair Child!

Go to thy dreamless bed,

Gently, and meek, and mild,

With blessings on thy head;

Fresh roses in thy hand,

Bud on thy pillows laid,

Hast from this blighting land,

Where flowers so quickly fade.

Before thy heart could learn

In waywardness to stray;

Before thy feet could turn

The dark and downward way;

Ere sin could wound thy breast,

or sorrow wake the tear;

Rise to thy home of rest

In your celestial spheres.

Died Elbert Tallman, at the home of his father, John Tallman at Cass, April 9, 1926. His age was 24 years 11 months and 27 days. The cause of death was tuberculosis. Burial at the Wanless graveyard on Sunday afternoon in the ~~presence~~^{presence} of a large crowd of people. The services were conducted by Rev. L. S. Shires.

Pocahontas Times 4/15/1926

In Remembrance

Elbert C. Tallman, son of Mr and Mrs. John Tallman was born April 13, 1901 and died April 9, 1926 at his home near Cass. His age was 24 years 11 months and 27 days. He died after a long illness of tuberculosis. The funeral services were conducted at his home on Sunday morning April 11 by Rev. L. S. Shires and he was laid to rest in the Wanless Cemetery.

Elbert was a kind hearted and good natured young man and had many friends both far and wide. He was liked by all who knew him. He will be greatly missed by all and has left many friends to mourn his death. Before his death he made profession of religion and expressed willingness to meet his Saviour. It was one of his desires that his friends meet him above. It is hard to give up our loved one, but God knows best, and death is something we cannot undo. Elbert was prepared and we should rejoice and be happy knowing he is

over

saved. Could we but push aside the mantle that unfolds each human heart we would be kinder, but sometimes it often happens that we are contented to wait with our little acts of love and kindness until it is too late. For the little wreath of roses that we might so sweetly send, cannot be seen or treasured by our cold and lifeless friend.

He leaves to mourn their loss a host of friends, his parents, 4 sisters and 4 brothers. A sister preceded him to his grave about 6 months ago.

* A Friend

Pocahontas Times 5/20/1926

4/29/1926 Pocahontas Times

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the people of our neighborhood and of Cass for their care and kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our son and brother Elbert.

We also thank Mr. Shores for his kindness and attention he gave us.

John Tallman & family

* See obituary of Pocahontas Times 11/30/1911

2 Jane Marie Wooddell
Born November 5, 1949
Died
Burial

Married May 22, 1971
Robert Paul Worrall
born August 20, 1949
Died
Burial

* 1. Carrie Blair Wooddell ^{Worrall}
Born December 23, 1977
Died
Burial

Her Parents

Leland Wilson Wooddell
Mary Elinor Hayward Wooddell

* appears to be a child (Carrie Blair Wooddell
Worrall is listed)
born out of wedlock in New 1981, S.C. Book
not admitted
Anna died made this
note

His Parents

Donovan

"Janie"

4. Clara Jane Woodell

Born August 30, 1921

Died

Burial

No issue 1st husband

by 2nd Husband

1. John Arthur Donovan

Born February 27 1957

Died

Burial

single
2/1981

Muriel June 16, 1944

1. Charles Ellsworth Shannon

Born — Died May 29, 1945 N.W.T.

Joseph in 1981 ~~partner~~ ~~son~~

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Born January 10, 1925

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Burial

adopted

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Burial

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2/1981

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(Female)

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Married

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of charleston

(Divorced) Born

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Burial

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Born Feb 21, 1951

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married Deborah Ashley Watts
lives in London, England
a banker no issue as of 2/1981

2/20/1981

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Wooddell after Harry & Clifford
were divorced.

Her Parents

Harry Ballinger Wooddell

Rachel Elizabeth Cassel Wooddell

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Cassell

Frank Wallace
Cassell
Born June 28, 1894 ^{Cass.} _{W. Va.}
Died December 9, 1959 ^{akron,} _{Ohio}
Buried Wanless Cemetery
C - W W I - Cass

Married about 12/28/1911 ^{Pocahontas} _{Co}

Ellie Sutton

Born

Died

Buried

Resided: _____

His Parents

Jacob Cassell
Clara Alice Sutton Cassell

Her Parents

~~Samuel~~ Sutton
Rachel Arbogast Sutton

12/28/1911 Pocahontas Times

Wanless - Married Frank Cassell and miss Hallie Sutton. The groom is the son of Jacob Cassell and the bride is a daughter of S. C. Sutton.

Frank W. Cassell

Frank W. Cassell, age 65, a resident of Akron, Ohio, for the past 32 years, died of a cerebral hemorrhage on Wednesday, December 9, 1959.

Born at Cass, June 28, 1894, he was the son of the late Jacob Cassell, Sr. and Clara Sutton Cassell.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Hallie Cassell; one son, Wayne Cassell, of Carrollton Ohio, also two brothers, Willis Cassell, of Cass and Clyde Cassell, of Akron, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Rachell Wooddell, of Green Bank.

Funeral services were held at the Wanless Methodist Church by the Rev. J. E. Fairburn, with burial in the Wanless Cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

Cassell

(no middle name)

wayne Cassell

Born February 22, 1913

Died April 16, 1979

Burial West View Cemetery
Carrollton, Ohio

Married
"Jo"

Josephine Harriet Brookes

Born

Died

Burial

Graduate of Green Bank High School
1932

His Parents

Frank Wallace Cassell

Hollie Sutton Cassell

Her Parents

Dennis

1. ~~Dennis~~ Wayne Cassell

Born

1945

Died

Burial

Meriel Lynette Sue Cassell

no issue
1981

wayne cassell

wayne cassell, 66, of Carrollton, ohio died Monday April 16, 1979, in the hospital of an apparent heart attack

Born at Cass, February 22, 1913, he was the son of the late Frank and Hallie Cassell.

He was a retired employee of Ford motor company, of Canton, Ohio.

Surviving him is a son, Dennis, of Carrollton, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his wife Jo.

Services were held Thursday at the Alman and Dugger Funeral Home with burial in the Westwood Cemetery at Carrollton, Ohio.

The Pocahontas line

wayne (above) graduated from Green Bank High. Stayed with his Rachael Wooddell.

Frank Wallace Cassell

Born June 28, 1894

Died December 9, 1959

Buried at Wanless Cemetery

Frank ^{Cassell} & Rachael Wooddell

Willis Cassell

Clyde Cassell born November 18, 1904

He swerved left of center & another car hit him then another car - tractor trailer tried to pass got off beam of road and got stuck there.

He ~~had~~ ^{got killed} not far from Letta Shears Child ~~home~~ ^{gotten}

Hallie Sutter Cassell is sister to Elsie Riley, - June Riley's mother

great
clyde Cassell wife
Born November 18, 1904 at Cass 1903
Died October 16, 1972

Buried

Merrick

1. Gertrude Lewis
Born 1904
Died July 6, 1969
Burial: Greenlawn Memorial Park
Akron, Ohio

2 Grace E. Lewis

Born

Died August 27, 1980

Buried Greenlawn Memorial Park
Akron, Ohio

By 1st wife Cassell

1. Carol Vivian Cassell
Born September 2, 1932 ^{Cass} W. Va.
Died
Burial
Married Wayne Emerson Breitenbush

no middle name

2. Janet ~~Lee~~ Cassell

Born 1934

Died

Burial

Married 1. Robert Volke

2. Jack Rist (deceased)

3. Adam E. Hines

No issue by 2nd wife

His 2 wives were sisters

His Parents

Jacob Cassell

Clara Alice Sutton Cassell

Their Parents Grace & Gertrude Lewis
were

(over)

Mrs. Clyde Cassell

Mrs. Gertrude Lewis Cassell, 65, of 924 Wooster Avenue, Akron, Ohio, passed away Sunday, July 6, 1969.

Survivors include her husband, Clyde Cassell; two daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Carol) Breitenstine, of Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Jack (Janet Lee) Rist, of Wadsworth, Ohio; six grandchildren; six sisters, Miss Ethel Lewis and Mrs. Ruth Rosenlieb, both of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Emma Frederick, of Morrow, Ohio; Mrs. Margaret Bennett, of Phoenix, Arizona; Mrs. Helen Peterman, of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Grace Lewis, of Akron, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at Billow's Chapel, 85 North Miller Road, Fairlawn, by the Rev. Walter Chisholm, with interment at Greenlawn Memorial Park.

The Postonite Times

Mrs Grace E. Cassell, of Hintonville, died Wednesday, August 30, 1980 of a heart attack in a store in Elkins.

She was the widow of Clyde Cassell, who died in 1972; she was a retired employee of Goodyear in Akron, Ohio.

She is survived by 3 sisters.

Services were held on Saturday, August 30th a.m. in Baker Funeral Home by the Rev John Keith. Burial was in Greenlawn Memorial Park, Akron.

- 2. wife of Clyde ^{Grace E}
 Maiden Name Lewis }
- 1. wife Gertrude Lewis Sisters

Clyde Cassell lived in trailer at Willis Cassell then put trailer down on Brown's Creek Road - 2nd wife

Clyde Cassell
Clyde Cassell, 67, of Akron, Ohio, formerly of Cass, died Monday, October 16, 1972.

Born November 18, 1904, at Cass he was a son of Jacob and Clara Sutton Cassell.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete as we go to press.
The Cabellton Times

Breitenstine

Carol Vivian Cassell
Born September 2, 1932 Cassell

Died

Burial

Married

Wayne Emerson Breitenstine

Born

Died

Burial

1. David Alan Breitenstine
Born 1953

2. Gary Wayne Breitenstine
Born 1954

3. Mark Jeffery Breitenstine
Born 1955

Died

Burial

Married Georgianne Koroshoz

Her Parents

Clyde Jacob Cassell

Gertrude Lewis Cassell

His Parents

Breitenstine

Mark Jeffery Breitenstine

Born 1955

Died

Burial

1. Richard Julius Breitenstine

Born 1979

Died

Burial

Married

Georgianne Koroskez

Born

Died

Burial

His Parents

Carol Vivian Cassell Breitenstine

Wayne Emerson Breitenstine

Her Parents

no middle name

Volke

Janet Lee Cassell

Born 1934

Died

Burial

Married

1. Robert Volke

2. ~~Jack~~ Jack Rist (deceased)

3. Adam E. Hiner

1. Patricia Lynn Volke

Born 1954

Died

Burial

Married Mack Lee Gay

2. Robert Frederick Volke

Born 1957

Died

Burial

singee
1981

3. Sheryle Lee Volke

Born 1966

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Clyde Jacob Cassell

Gertude Lewis Cassell

Married James Steiner

no issue by 2nd marriage

By 3rd marriage

1. Rodney E. Hiner

Born 1972

Died

Burial

Married

2. Andrea J. Hiner

Born 1977

Galford

1 Charlotte Diane Cassell

Born August 18, 1935 Cassell, W. Va.

Died

Burial

Resides: Portsmouth, Va

Divorced Marjel Sam ^b Eldon Galford

June 20, 1954 Salem, Va. by Rev. Okey Cassell, Jr.
born May 4, 1933 Dunmore, W. Va.

Died

Burial

He married ² Janice Carolyn Wilfong

Her parents

Willis Cassell

Eva Pearl Drunkeller Cassell

His parents

Kent Ray Galford

Leona Glandith Sheets Galford

1. Pamela Ellen Galford

Born August 23, 1955
at Apalachicola, Al
Died

Burial

single as of 3/1981

Married _____ Newaseña

Newsome

Pamela Ellen Galford
b. August 23, 1955 Anniston
Alabama

1.

(male)
Newsome

d

1984

Burial

Married

Newsome

b

d

Burial

Resides:

Her Parents

Samuel Eldon Galford
Charlotte Diane Cassell Galford

Mrs. Nora Drumkeller

Mrs. Nora Drumkeller, 85, died Thursday morning, March 17, 1960, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willie Cassell of Back Mountain, near Cass, after a long illness. She had resided with her daughter for fifteen years.

She was a member of the Methodist Church of Fluvanna, Virginia. Mrs. Drumkeller was born June 5, 1875, the daughter of the late William and Susan Frances Shipp Drumkeller.

Other survivors include a son, Allen Drumkeller of Charlottesville, Virginia; eleven grandchildren, and fifteen great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Wanless Cemetery on Back Mountain by the Rev. J. E. Fairburn. Burial was in the Wanless Cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

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The Roanoke Times

Mrs. Willis Cassell, of Cass, enjoyed Saturday, July 28 (1984), at Canaan Valley Resort with her six children, 12 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mullens, 4 daughters and seven grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cassell, of Richmond, Virginia, 3 daughters and 7 grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young of Virginia Beach, Va., 3 children, 5 grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Cassell, of Cass, Mr. and Mrs. Grey Cassell, of Brandywine and 2 sons; Charlotte Galford, of Portsmouth, Virginia. Her daughter, Pamela ~~Newsome~~ Newsome, had just presented her with her first grandchild, a son, so was unable to attend.

Pocahontas Times 9/2/84

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Pocahontas Times 9/2/84

Mrs. Ruby Ruth Gum

Mrs. Ruby Ruth Gum aged 70 years, died May 18, 1945, at the home of her son, Dale Gum at Bartow. On Sunday, May 20, the services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. De Haven assisted by Rev. Claude Arbogast at the Arbovale Church. Her body was laid to rest in the family plot in the Arbovale cemetery.

She was the daughter of the late Samuel Sutton and Rachel Arbogast Sutton. She was united in marriage to William C. Gum on July 25, 1894. To this union six children were born, three of whom preceded her in death, also her husband. She leaves to mourn their loss, three sons, Dale and Bruce of Bartow, Ralph of Washington, D. C.; one brother, Rev. Wallace Sutton, of Middlebourne; and one sister, Clara Cassel, of Cass. She is also survived by 16 grand-children, four great grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

She was a faithful member of the Bartow Methodist Church.

The Pocahontas Times

Mrs. Rachel Wooddell

~~Mrs.~~ Rachel Wooddell, 86, of Green Bank, died Monday, September 25, 1978, in Pocahontas Memorial Hospital.

She was a retired school teacher, having taught more than 32 years in the Pocahontas County schools. She was a member of the Green Bank Methodist Church.

Born December 22, 1891 she was the daughter of Jacob and Alice Cassell and the widow of Harry B. Wooddell.

Survivors include daughters, Elizabeth and Harry, of Green Bank, and Jane Donovan, of Mobile, Alabama; sons, Gerald, of Green Bank, and Leland, of Marion, plus seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Thursday at 2 PM by the Rev. Gregory Lewis and Rev. D. R. Arbogast, at the Green Bank Methodist Church.

Burial will be in Arbovale Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Green Bank Methodist Church.

The Pocahontas Times

Harry is a girl works at Observatory.

She Had Son, Harry.

Pocahontas Times 4/10/1911

unless

Miss Rachel Cassell to Marshall College at Huntington.

wooddell

Rachel Elizabeth Cassell (teacher)
on Beck Mountain
Born December 32, 1891
Died September 25, 1978 ^{facilities} _{Memorial Hospital}
Buried Arbovale Cemetery

Married May 26, 1917 in Elkins, W. Va.
by Rev Henry W. Wiegang.
Harry Ballengee Woddell

Born August 4, 1885
died April 30, 1923 ^{on} _{in} tombstone.
Buried ^{enclosed} _{on top of hill from} ^{grave} _{lamberts}
Arbovale Cemetery ^{grave} _{lamberts}
He a carpenter, road employee &
millwright at Cass

The School Teacher

Should be L
37 years
3rd ^{Her Parents} _{3rd} ^{only daughter of} Jacob Cassell
at Green Bank grade School
taught 38 years

Clara Alice Sutton Cassell

Her Parents "Juck"

James Pierce Woddell
Born 1853
Died October 13, 1874 1949
Nancy June ¹⁸⁵⁵ Sipe Woddell
Born 1855
Died 1933

de son & gendre Woddell
Jacob + Nancy Hugh Woddell
See daughter of Capt. George W.
Hannah Rebecca Warwick Sipe

Recheck as
August 30 in
New Philadelphia
County book

Buried in
"Old Fields"
graveyard near
Green Bank
menmen

"Libby" Hope
1. Elizabeth Woddell
Green Bank
Born April 21, 1915
Died October 1, 1987 ^{Charlotte} ₂₀₂
Buried Arbovale Cemetery

Married 1932 graduate of W. Va. (Single)
taught school, Red Cross worker
a girl ^{Eria} lives in Lexington, Va.
5. Harry Woddell ^{Grandson}
Born September 16 1923
Died
Buried 1. Clifford Picklesimer
Married divorced

ff. Clara Jane Woddell
Born August 30 1921
Died
Buried June 16, 1944
1. Charles Ellsworth Shannon
married 2. Dr Arthur J. ~~J.~~ Donovan
Joseph

Lamar "Lick" Woddell
D. Gerald Woddell

Born December 14, 1916

Died

Buried ^{PC 10th}
Married ¹⁹⁴³ _{Eith} Lillian White 6/26/1944
born April 4, 1924

~~white for Report in other~~
farmer, cattle buyer, Slaughterhouse

over)

3. Leland ^{Wilson} Wooddell
Born November 12 1918
Died
Buried
married Mary Elinor Hayward
Aug 31, 1941 born Oct 8, 1923
worked for DuPont in Akron, Ohio

4/27/1916 Pocahontas Lemes
Greenbank

Harry Wooddell and family of case have
moved to the old home place, he having bought
out the other heirs. We welcome them to our
neighborhood (Pierce Wooddell property.)

1985 - where the ^{Ferry} Shaw lives

Elizabeth H. Wooddell

Elizabeth Hope Wooddell, 72, of Lexington, Virginia, died Thursday, October 1, 1987, at the home of her sister, Harry Wooddell, in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Miss Wooddell was born April 21, 1915, at Green Bank.

She taught in Green Bank before joining the Red Cross European Theater in the 1940's. She served with the USO in Alaska and Charleston, South Carolina, until 1956 when she became the assistant director for programming and volunteer services for the USO in New York City. She retired in 1975 and moved to Lexington in 1979. She served as a volunteer for the Hospital Thrift Shop.

Surviving her are two brothers, Geral Wooddell, of Green Bank, Leland Wooddell, of Akron, Ohio; and two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Donovan, of Pasadena, California, and Mrs. Harry Wooddell, of Charlottesville.

The memorial service was conducted by the Rev. Sally O. Robinson at the Harrison Funeral Home. Participating in the memorial service were Lu Anne Balfey, of Lexington, Ann and Arthur Eastman, of Blacksburg, Virginia, Jerry Waring, of Fairfax, Virginia, Jessie Beard Powell, of Green Bank, and Rosalind Hingley, of Charlottesville.

Interment was in the Arbovale Cemetery with Rev. Paul O. Vineyard officiating.

The Pocahontas Times

Elizabeth H. Wooddell

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She taught in Greenbank before joining the Red Cross European Theater in the 1940's. She served with the USO in Alaska and Charleston, South Carolina, until 1956 when she became the assistant director for programming and volunteer services for the USO in New York City. She retired in 1975 and moved to Lexington in 1979. She served as a volunteer for the Hospital Thrift Shop.

Surviving are two brothers, Gerald Wooddell, of Green Bank, and Leland Wooddell, of Akron, Ohio; and two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Donovan, of Pasadena, California, and Mrs. Harry Wooddell, of Charlottesville.

The memorial service was conducted by the Rev. Sally O. Robinson at the Horner Funeral Home. Participating in the memorial service were Lee Anne Balfey, of Lexington, Ann and Arthur Eastman, of Blacksburg, Virginia, Jeri Waring, of Fairfax, Virginia, Jessie Bent Powell, of Greenbank, and Rosalind Hingley, of Charlottesville.

Interment was in the Arbovale Cemetery with the Rev. Paul O. Vineyard officiating.

The Roanoke Times
10/22/1987

Wooddell

2. Gerald Lamar Wooddell

Born December 14, 1916

Died

Burial

Farmer, cattle buyer, Wooddell, Oregon

Married June 26, 1943

Lillian White

Born April 4, 1924

Died

Burial

1. Lillian Lamar Wooddell

Born June 29, 1944

Died

Burial

single
2/1981

2. Beverly Jo Wooddell

Born December 9, 1946

Died

Burial

(Married) Richard Workman
7/31/1970 born Aug 24, 1943

His Parents

Harry Ellery Wooddell

Rachel Elizabeth (Cassie) Wooddell

2.

Her Parents

Workmen

Beverly Jo Wooddell

Born December 9, 1946

Died

Burial

1. Steven Geral Workmen

Born October 10, 1970

Died

Burial

Married July 31, 1970

Richard Workmen

Born August 24, 1943

Died

Burial

2. Mark David Workmen

Born November 21, 1977

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Geral Lamar Wooddell

Lillian White Wooddell

His Parents

Mother _____ Workmen

She married Robert Curry
son of Claude Curry

Wooddell

3. Leland Wilson Wooddell

Born November 12, 1918

Died

Burial

Retired from DuPont

Married August 31, 1941

Mary Elinor Hayward

Born October 5, 1923

Died

Burial

1. Karen Ann Wooddell

Born August 19, 1943

Died

Burial

Married Joseph Michael Sinclair
29 Aug 1964 ^{1951 Book Sinclair}
Born July 10, 1938

2. Jane Marie Wooddell

Born November 5, 1949

Died

Burial

Married Robert Paul Worrall
May 22, 1971 ^{born Aug 20, 1949}

His Parents

Rachel Elizabeth Cassell Wooddell

Harry Ballenger Wooddell

Her Parents

1981 Book 10
Book 11 Simkain
Simkain

Karen Ann Wooddell

Born August 19, 1943

Died

Burial

1. Terri Lynn Simkain

Born March 25, 1965

Died

Burial

August 29, 1964

Simkain

Joseph Michael Simkain

Born

Died

Burial

2. Joann Marie Simkain

Born August 1, 1968

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Leland Wilson Wooddell

Mary Elinor Hayward Wooddell

3. Joseph Michael Simkain, Jr.

Born April 22, 1976

Died

Burial

These children written
on already gave do not
know if this just ~~new~~ record
the date of 8/23

His Parents

Navy blue dress with pink and white accessories, and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Galford, mother of the groom, wore a dress of light blue with white accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the basement room of the church. The bridal party greeted the guests informally, a white three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, centered a white covered table. Pink and white rosebuds completed the table decorations.

Mrs. Virginia Ervin cut and served the wedding cake, assisted by Miss Mary Ann Cassell, Mrs. L. W. Hoover of Detroit, Michigan, presided at the punch bowl.

The bride was graduated in 1953 from Green Bay High School where she was a participant in many school activities. For the past year she has been employed in Akron, Ohio.

Mr. Galford was graduated in the same class as his bride and at present is a member of the armed forces.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Galford will reside in Alabama where he is stationed.

The Pocahontas Times

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shenaberry are proud to announce the birth of their third son, Joshua Doyle weighing seven pounds and ten ounces on January 12, 1981. Joshua has two older brothers, Brian and Seth. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mullens of Arbovale. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shenaberry of Durbin. Joshua has three great grandmothers, Mrs. Pearl Cassell, Mrs. Birdie Sheets, and Mrs. Leona Beckett.

? 11/5/1981 ^{Orchids} To Coach Henry Shenaberry of Green Bank who received no coaching help all season but tried to make it a point for all his boys to play and enjoy the game. His predominately seventh grade team was very inexperienced and small in size but they showed a lot of heart and displayed exceptional sportsmanship

Pocahontas Times

? 6/18/1981 Pocahontas ^{Times} Co
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shenaberry and Daughter, Amanda, are moving from Sistersville to Arbovale

(Picture)

Engagement Announced

Mrs and Mrs. Howard N. Muller of Durbin announce the engagement of their daughter, Amber Lee to Sp-4 Daryl A. Shineray of Durbin.

The bride-elect is a junior at Pocahontas County High School.

Her fiance is a 1978 graduate of Pocahontas County High School, Fairmont State College 1980 and a member of the United States Army, presently stationed at Fort Hood, Texas.

Wedding Plans are incomplete

Pocahontas Times
2/11/1981

Not sure who he is

Mrs. Leona G. Beckett

Mrs. Leona Grace Beckett, 77, of Baltimore, Maryland, formerly of Durbin, died Thursday, September 8, 1983, in a Baltimore hospital.

Born June 9, 1906, in Durbin, she was a daughter of the late Howard and Jennie Scruggs Burner.

Survivors include two daughters, Grace Kremers, of Baltimore, and Lucille Robinson of Vienna; three sons, Henry and Melvin Shiraberry, both of Durbin, and Edward Meeks, of Columbus, Ohio; two sisters, Euna Barkley of Frank, and Verlie Mullerex, of Bartow; and two brothers, Forrest Burner, of Frank, and Leroy Burner, of Lansdale, Pennsylvania.

Services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home in Arbovale, with burial in the Arbovale Cemetery.

Pocahontas Times

Cassell

3 Jerry Remus Cassell
Born Feb 26, 1924 ^{Cass} W. Va
Died
Burial

Married June 4, 1945
Ellen R. Bausell

Born
Died
Burial

Resides: Richmond, Va

His Parents:

Willis Cassell
Eva Pearl Drumheller Cassell

Her Parents

L. K. Bausell of Washington,
D.C.

1. Diane Ruth Cassell
Born 1946
Died
Burial

Married Reed B. Woliver

2. Jerilyn Ann Cassell
Born 1949
Died
Burial

Married Steven Drumheller

3. Martha Elizabeth Cassell
Born 1954
Died
Burial

Married Morris Stephen Thompson

(over)

Cassell - Bausell

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cassell of Cass, announce
the marriage of their son S-Sgt. Jerry L. Cassell
to Miss Ellen Bausell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. K.
Bausell of Washington, D. C. on June 4, 1945.

DeFobortas Times
6/14/1945

Diane Ruth Cassell

Born 1946

Died

Burial

Married

Reed B. Woliver

Born

Died

Burial

Resides: Richmond, VA

Her Parents

Jerry Herman Cassell

Ellen R. Bansell Cassell

His Parents

Liese Woliver

1. Ann Liese Woliver

Born 1970

Died

Burial

Married

"Joe"

2. Joseph Michael Woliver

Born 1976

Died

Burial

Married

Thompson

Martha Elizabeth Cassell

Born 1954

Died

Burial

Married "Steve"

Morris Stephen Thompson

Born

Died

Burial

Resides: Richmond, Va

Her Parents

Martha Elizabeth Cassell Thompson

Morris Stephen Thompson

His Parents

young

4. Beatrice Nora Cassell

Born 1926

Died

Burial

Married

Alvin Raymond Young

Born

Died

Burial

Resides: Virginia Beach, Va

Her Parents

Willie Cassell

Eva Pearl Drumheller Cassell

1. Sharon Irene Young

Born 1949

Died

Burial

Married Walter K. Altice

2. Alvin Raymond Young, Jr

Born 1952

Died

Burial

Married Donna Kay Hamilton

3. Douglas Willie Young

Born 1956

Died

Burial

His Parents

unmarried 2/81

Sharon Irene Young
Born 1949
Died
Burial

Married
Walter K. Altice
Born
Died
Burial

Altice
1. Robin Raye Altice
Born 1977
Died
Burial

Married

Her Parents
Beatrice Nora Cassell Young
Alvin Raymond Young

His Parents

Young

Alvin Raymond Young, Jr

Born 1952

Died

Burial

1. Cara Leigh Young

Born 1979

Died

Burial

Married

Donna Kay Hamilton

Born

Died

Burial

His Parents

Beatrice Nra Cassell Young

Alvin Raymond Young

Her Parents

Whiteside, Cassell Win Horseshoes

Annual Golden Horseshoe Day, sponsored by the West Virginia Department of Education, was held May 6 at the State Capitol in Charleston. It honored 221 eighth-grade students from every county in the state.

At least two students from each county and one from the Schools for the Deaf and the Blind in Romney were dubbed Knights and Ladies of the Golden Horseshoe at the all-day ceremony.

Pendleton County was represented by Stephen A. Cassell of Brandywine Elementary School and Jody W. Whiteside of Franklin Elementary School.

The students have scored the highest on a test about West Virginia prepared by the State Department of Education. The two highest scorers in each county were chosen, while the remaining 110 students were the other highest scorers in the state, prorated by county according to the county's ratio to the number of eighth-grade students in the state.

1983

Cassell

6. Grey Monroe Cassell
Born May 8, 1933 Cassell
Died
Burial
He - Army W.W. II
Married
Mary Catherine Handy
Born
Died
Burial
Resides: Brandywine, W. Va.
His Parents
Willis Cassell
Eva Pearl Drumheller Cassell

"Monty"
1. Grey Monroe Cassell, Jr.
Born 1965
Died
Burial
Married
2. Stephen Arnold Cassell
Born 1969
Died
Burial
(He - Knight of Golden ~~H~~ Horseshoe
Eighth grade students from
every county at Charleston,
May 6, 1983 - He represented
Pennington County)

Her Parents

W. R. Handy Virginia Beach
va
Handy

Picture

Grey Cassell

Commencement Speaker

The Commencement Address for the 1983 Graduating Class of Pocahontas County High School will be delivered by Mr. Grey M. Cassell. Mr. Cassell is the son of Mrs. Willis Cassell of Cass and the late Mrs. Cassell, and is currently the Executive Director of Regional Education Service Agency VIII located in Martinsburg.

New Position

Grey Cassell has accepted the position of Superintendent of Schools for Hampshire County. Mr. Cassell is a native of Cass and a former Pocahontas County Superintendent. He had been Executive Director of the Region VIII Regional Education Service Agency for the past several years.

Pocahontas Times

Grey Cassell owns the Martha Feister Farm. Steve Cassell is a chicken grower. Monty Cassell is a sheepman.

Graduation

Picture of him

May 27, 1983

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Following his graduation from Green Bank High School in 1951, Mr. Cassell served in the United States Army from 1952-1955. He entered William and Mary College after his service tour in Germany and received his B.S. Degree in 1959. His Master's Degree in Elementary and Secondary Administration was also conferred by William and Mary in 1962.

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Pocahontas Times 5/19/1983

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Pocahontas Times 5/19/1983

Willis Cassell's Son

~~Kenneth Neal Cassell married 9/02/1967~~
~~Mary Ellen Seabolt~~

Janice + Richard Carter of Arbovale are happy
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Mullenax of Arbovale.

Paternal grandparents are Mr + Mrs Alan Carter
of Newtown, Pa.

Maternal great grandmother is Mrs Willis
Cassell of Cass

Cassell

Willis Cassell

Born November 1889

Died January 7, 1971

Burial Wanless Cemetery

a farmer

Married ^{Aug} Pearl Drumheller

Born

1898 Scottsville
Va

Died

Buried

Reedie
Virginia
Rocky Mt

2. Gayle ^{maile} Cassell

Born March 17, 1922

Died

Burial

Nov 30, 1940 in Springfield

Married Paul Muller

3. Beatrice ^{nora} Cassell

Born December 31, 1926 Cass
W. Va

Died

Burial

Married ^{alvin} Raymond Young

4. Charlotte ^{daile} Cassell

Born August 18, 1935 Cass
W. Va

Died

Burial

Married Sam Gelford
June 20, 1954 at Green Bank
(Divorced)

5. Kenneth Neal Cassell

Born Feb 28, 1930 Cass
W. Va

Died

Burial

School bus (driver) operator

Married Mary Ellen Seabolt
September 22, 1967 Solemnized by
Ronie J. Lidge Methodist Church

No issue

His Parents

Mrs Nora Drumheller
b. June 5, 1875 - d. April 17, 1960 Bethesda
daughter of William & Susan Frances
Shipper Drumheller

Obit.
W. Va

She born May 19, 1842
at Heisbord.
dau of William Seabolt
Mable Hinkle
Seabolt

Richmond
Va.

3. Jerry ^{James} Cassell
Born Feb 26, 1924 ^{Class} _{W. Va.}

Died

Buried

Married Ellen R. Bawell

Resides in
Brandywine, W Va

6. Grey ^{Marie} Cassell
Born May 8, 1933 ^{Class} _{W. Va.}

Died

Buried

Married Mary Catherine Hardy

7. Infant

Born Sept 10, 1920 ^{Class} _{W. Va.}

Died Sept 20, 1920

Burial Wanless Cemetery

Prisoner of War

Jerry Cassee from Buck Mountain was a POW
in Germany for 9 months.

Pocahontas Times 11/17/88

William A. Seabolt

William A. Seabolt, 81, of Cass, died Wednesday, October 14, 1987, near his home.

He was a woodsman and a member of the Methodist Church.

Born at Leonard March 17, 1906, he was the son of Dollie Perkins Seabolt, 77 Denman, and the late Johnson Seabolt.

He was preceded in death by two children, a brother and a sister.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Mabel Hinkle Seabolt; children, Johnson Seabolt, Cass, Roy Seabolt, Topeka, Kansas, Robert Seabolt, Cass, Madge Brock, Hillsboro, and Mary Russell, Cass; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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The Pocahontas Times

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The Localontario Times
10/22/87

Mary Ellen Seabolt Cassell's Father
He shot himself

Mullenax

2. Gayle Marie Cassell
Born March 17, 1922 Cass
W. Va.
Died
Burial

1. Sandra Jean Mullenax
Born 1942
Died 1942
lived 4 months
Burial

~~Married Saturday~~
Married November 30, 1940 in
Maryland solemnized by Rev. H. W. Winston
Paul Mullenax
Born
Died
Burial

2. Karen Sue Mullenax
Born 1945
Died
Burial

Reside: Boyer, W Va

Married Gerald Wayne Senger

Her Parents

Willis Cassell

Eva Pearl Drumheller Cassell

Twin

3. Janice Lee Mullenax
Born 1948
Died
Burial

His Parents

Craig Mullenax

Married Richard S. Carter

Twin 4. Paula Marie Mullenax
Born 1948
Died
Burial

Married

5. Louise Gray Mullens

Born 1950

Died

Burial

Married Howard E. ¹⁹⁵⁵ Shineray

Senger

Karen Sue Mullenat

Born 1945

Died

Burial

Married

Gerald

Gerald Wayne Senger

Born

Died

Burial

Reside: Mount Sydney, Va

Her Parents

Gayle Marie Cassell Mullenat

Paul Mullenat

His Parents

1. Gerald Wayne Senger, Jr

Born 1971

Died

Burial

Married

2. Jonathan Paul Senger

Born 1975

Died

Burial

Married

3. ^{Kara} Kara Annmarie Senger

Born 1977

Died

Burial

Married

The Senger Singers from the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia sang at Bethel and Durbin Methodist Churches Sunday morning, November 4. They were Garret and Karen Senger. Karen is the daughter of Paul and Gayle Mulleray. The group also included John and Linda Senger, David and Jo Lyn Senger, Roger and Sue Jones. The pianist was Donna, sister of Roger. Mrs. Simmons, Linda's mother, accompanied them along with the children. The group, along with Louise Shinaberry and three sons, ate lunch with Paul and Gayle Mulleray, Neal and Mary Cassell, Maryann Carter and Paula Mulleray, at the Cassell Sugar Camp.

Pocahontas Times 11/8/84

Carter

Janice Lee Mullens (Gwin)

Born 1948

Died

Burial

Married

Richard S. Carter

Born

Died

Burial

Reside: Ashdale, W Va

Her Parents

Gayle Marie Crossell Mullens

Paul Mullens

His Parents

Alan Carter of Norristown, Pa

Graduate married

Gayle Cassell, a graduate of G.H.S in '40 was married to Paul Mullens on Saturday, November 30, 1940 in Maryland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. W. Wriston, their former pastor. They will reside in Bristow, where Mr. Mullens is employed at the tannery.

Golden Eagle
Volume III Number II December 5, 1940

Janice and Richard Carter of Arbovale, are happy to announce the birth of Mary Ann Carter on November 21, 1976, weighing seven pounds and fourteen ounces. The maternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs ~~John~~ Paul Mullens of Arbovale. Paternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs Alan Carter of Norristown, Pa. Maternal great grandmother is Mrs Willis Caswell of Cass.

Pocahontas Times

Louise Gray Mullenaux

Born 1950

Died

Burial

School Teacher

Married Howard E. ^{et}Shinaberry

Born 1949

Died

Burial

Divorced 6/19/1984

Brian

1. Bryan Allie Shinaberry

Born 1975

Died

Burial

Married

2. Seth Adam Shinaberry

Born 1978

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Gayle Oprie Cassell Mullenaux

Married

Paul Mullenaux

3. ~~Joshua~~ ^{Darje} Shinaberry

Born January 12, 1981

7 lbs 10 oz

Died

Burial

His Parents

Henry Arnes Shinaberry

Married

McLewna Belle Sheets Shinaberry

Darbin, W Va
36264

Henry's Father

Page Arnes Shinaberry

Leona ⁱⁿ Burner Shinaberry

Howard ^{Shinaberry} has a sister Henrietta Reigel, Arbovale working on
Shinaberry History - also Mrs. Leona Shinaberry
799-4980

Leona Beckett is listed as great grandmother in Notice
of Joshua Shinaberry birth (over)

Galford - Cassell

In a double-ring ceremony at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, June 20, 1954, in the Green Bank Methodist Church, Miss Charlotte Dale Cassell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cassell of Cass, became the bride of Mr. Sam Galford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Galford of Green Bank.

The Rev. Okey Cooper, Jr., pastor, solemnized the marriage before an altar banked with pine and laurel and candelabra in the presence of family members and friends.

Traditional music was played by Miss Peggy Sheets, who also accompanied Miss Rachel McCutcheon as she sang "Because" and the "Lord's Prayer".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a waltz-length gown of white lace over satin. Her fingertip veil of illusion was embroidered with seed pearls and trimmed with lace. She carried a white bible on which rested a bouquet of white carnations with white satin streamers.

Mrs Paul Mullenax of Boyer served her sister as matron of honor, wearing a blue satin gown. Her headdress was of matching material and she carried a bouquet of yellow, pink and blue carnations.

Mr. Berlin Galford of Clarksburg, served as his brother as best man.

The ushers were Kent Galford, Jr., brother of the groom, and Donald Grogg of Green Bank.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Cassell wore a

Bertie B. Sheets

Mrs. Bertie Belle Sheets, 82, died Thursday, April 7, 1983, in an Elkins hospital after a short illness.

Born April 23, 1900, at Durbin, she was a daughter of the late William E. and Maggie Hevener Greathouse.

Mrs. Sheets was a lifelong resident of Durbin, a member of the Bethel Methodist Church on Back Mountain.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Albie.

Survivors include two daughters, Rowena Bryson, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and Melvina Canterbury, of Durbin; two sons, Calien E. Sheets, of Tucson, Arizona and James N. Sheets, of Hope Mills, North Carolina; three sisters, Anne Cromer, of Durbin, Ina Shelyay, of Arlington, Virginia and Katy Shiley, of Thupton, Virginia; a brother, Herbert Greathouse, of Durbin; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, at 2 p.m. by Rev. Mark Hickman at the Bethel United Methodist Church at Back Mountain. Interment was in the church cemetery.

The Princetonian

Herbert H. Greathouse

Herbert H. Greathouse, 78, of Durbin, died Friday, October 30, 1987, at his home after a long illness.

Born March 27, 1909, at Durbin, he was the son of the late William and Maggie Hevener Greathouse.

Mr. Greathouse was a retired woodsman and a member of the Durbin Church of the Brethren.

Surviving him are his wife, Lucille Konnison Greathouse; three daughters, Phyllis Hauchins and Carol Alter, both of Lititz, Pennsylvania, and Linda Moyers, of Monterey, Virginia; two sons, Robert Greathouse, of Charleston, South Carolina, and Larry Greathouse, of Lititz, Pennsylvania; three sisters, Ina Shelkey, of Arlington, Virginia, Anice Cromer, of Durbin, and Katie Shiley, of Glasgow, Virginia; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Bethel United Methodist Church at Durbin by the Rev. Gene Kerby and Rev. Jerry Ginn, with burial in the church cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

In memory

In sad but loving memory of
our husband, dad, and grandpa

Herbert H. Greathouse
on his birthday, March 27

Who departed this life

October 30, 1987

we love you dad and miss you
more each day.

Sadly missed by wife, Lucille,
children and grandchildren

The Pocahontas Times
3/23/89

Brenda Joan Houckin

Brenda Joan Houckin, 21, was killed instantly in a tragic car wreck early Friday morning, April 20, 1979, near Lititz, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Houckin is survived by her husband, Curtis R. Houckin and two small sons, Eric, three, and Shawn, one and one-half years old; parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bracken, of Lititz; one sister and three brothers. Many other relatives and a host of friends.

Brenda was a prominent young lady, an excellent homemaker and devoted mother. She is sadly missed by all who knew and loved her.

The funeral was held April 23 in the Lititz United Methodist Church of which she was a member.

Curtis R. Houckin is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greathouse of Durbin.

The Pocahontas Times

Ivan D. Greathouse

Ivan Darr Greathouse, 65, of Durbin, died Saturday, March 13, 1982, after a sudden illness.

Born January 7, 1917, at Durbin, he was the son of the late William and Maggie Hevener Greathouse.

Mr. Greathouse was a life-long resident of Durbin, a member of Bethel United Methodist Church on Back Mountain and a retired farmer.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Nettie Cassell, and three brothers, Clyde, Freddy and Herman.

Survivors include his wife, Ella Morgan Greathouse; a daughter, Donna Hornema, Elkins; a son, Dale, of Durbin; four sisters, Ina Shelkey, of Arlington, Virginia, Kathy Shiley, of Shadton, Virginia, and Bertie Sheets and Anne Cromer, both of Durbin; a brother, Herbert, of Durbin; five grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Bethel United Methodist Church with Rev. Mark Hickman and Rev. Harold Sweekers officiating. Burial in church cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

Mrs. Sadie ~~H~~ Ervin Sutton

Mrs. Sadie Florence Sutton, age 88 years, 9 months and 14 days of 2602 Washington Avenue, St. Albans, widow of the late Rev. William W. Sutton, former Methodist minister died Friday, January 29, 1971, at the Thomas Memorial Hospital in South Charleston, after a long illness.

She was the daughter of the late Preston C. and Margaret R. Beverage Ervin, born April 15, 1882, at Pine Grove in Pocahontas County, one of ten children, and the ninth girl. She and the Rev. Sutton were married November 7, 1900, at Green Bank by a cousin, the late Rev. C. C. Arbogast, and they observed their Golden wedding anniversary in November, 1950, while residing in Buckhannon.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Women's Society of Buckhannon and the retired ministers' wives of the West Virginia Conference.

Preceding her in death besides her husband were three sons, Merrill W., Lawrence E. and Charles R. Sutton, two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Clayton (Ruth) Nichols, of St. Albans; one son, the Rev. Paul E. Sutton, of Sandusky, Michigan; seven grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday morning in the Casdorph and Curry Funeral Chapel at St. Albans by the Rev. Roy W. Wilson, with burial in the Spring Hill Cemetery in Charleston.

The Pocahontas Journal

William Wallace Sutton

The Rev. William Wallace Sutton, 84, died in his sleep at his home in Buckhannon, Monday night, September 2, 1963.

He was a native of Green Bank, Pocahontas County, a member of the First Methodist Church at Buckhannon, he was a Methodist Minister for 40 years. He had lived in Buckhannon for 15 years following his retirement from the ministry.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Sadie Florence Irvin Sutton; two sons, Charles R. Sutton, of Charleston, and the Rev. Paul E. Sutton, of Flint, Michigan; one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Nichols, of St. Albans; eight grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday morning in the First Methodist Church in Buckhannon by Dr. John Hanifan, ^{the Rev. F. Rossing Smith and} the Rev. Ronald McCauley. Burial was in the Spring Hill Cemetery at Charleston.

The Pocahontas Times

He married Sadie F. Irvin, daughter of Preston C. Irvin and wife, Margaret Irvin on November 7, 1900

Lawrence Ervin Sutton

Sgt. Lawrence Ervin Sutton U.S.M.C.R. was killed in action May 16, 1945, in the battle for Okinawa.

Sgt. Sutton received his early education in the public schools of West Virginia, graduating from the Lindsay Institute, Wheeling, in the class of 1927. He attended West Virginia Wesleyan, Buckhannon, one year.

He entered the Marine Corps in 1929. Served various posts including Parris Island, Quantico and aboard the U.S.S. destroyer Phillips, before entering the detachment at South Charleston, W. Va., 1932. He received his discharge in 1932 and was employed at Carbide and Carbon Chemical Corps, of South Charleston prior to his retirement in 1942. He served on Recruiting Duty in Charleston and Clarksburg and in 1944 went to Camp Lejeune, N.C. for advanced training in Machine Gunnery School. After completion of the course he was an instructor in Gunnery. In January 1945 he went overseas with the Sixth Marine Division.

Sgt. Sutton was the son of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Sutton of Middlebourne, West Virginia.

Surviving besides his parents are his wife, Betty, and three daughters, Paula, Florence and Sally Belle, and three brothers, Merrill, Jack and Paul and sister Ruth.

The Post-Standard
6/14/1945

Rev. Paul E. Sutton, 61 of 31 Delaware St,
Sandusky, Michigan & Rector of St. John's Episcopal
Church of Sandusky and Vicar of St. Peters by the
Lake at Fosterville passed away at McKenzie Nonaine
Hospital on Thursday, August 28, 1975

Mr Sutton, son of the late Rev. William W
and Sadie F. Ervin Sutton was born in Jollytown,
Pennsylvania August 19, 1914. He attended public
schools in West Virginia and graduated from
West Virginia Wesleyan College in 1937 and from
Boston University with the S.T.B. degree in 1941
and an M.A. degree in 1942. From October 1942
until June 1955 he served Methodist Churches in
West Virginia. He came to the Episcopal Diocese
of Michigan in 1935.

He and Dorothy L. Willram of Melrose, Mass
were married June 28, 1943.

Mr Sutton was listed in Who's Who of
American Colleges and Universities in 1937. He
was active in the Masons and Eastern Star

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy, 2 sons
Paul L Pitman, New Jersey, and Mark W. of
Bryan, Texas, 2 grandchildren and a sister
Mrs Ruth S. Nichols of St. Albans. He was
preceded in death by a son, David L in May
1968.

Services were held on Tuesday September 2, 1975

from Mayes Funeral Home with the Rev. Milton Austin, Rector of Adans Parish of Michigan Center, Michigan. His ashes were interred in Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose, Massachusetts.

The Saginaw Times

His Father

~~He~~ was brother to Clara Alice Sutton Cassell I believe

Wanless Cemetery

Minnie Gordon Sutton

1873-1942

Winters William Sutton

1871-1951

Don't know where these
fit in right now

Mrs Allen Gelford (his sister)

The Pocahontas Times 2/23/89

Letter

Mr. McNeil:

I will be moving to Melrose, Massachusetts, in the early spring. I am not going to be able to take all the genealogy I have been working on in Pocahontas County since 1957.

James Wooddell of Green Bank, is buying everything I have and will continue to work on it, and some of my books that he has will go to the Green Bank Library in memory of my late husband.

We came to Pocahontas every year for two weeks and spent a lot of it doing research at the court house and in cemeteries copying grave stones and visiting relatives of Paul's.

I made many friends with those who were interested in what I was doing. I will miss working on the county but am glad someone is interested in going on with my work.

Dorothy M. Sutton (Mrs. Paul)

Paul E Sutton was youngest son of Rev. William Wallace & Sadie Florence Ervin Sutton both of whom were born and reared in Pocahontas Co

It is our intention to put all my findings with parents when completed at a minimal fee.

Starting getting Sutton, Ervin, -Ervin & related lines -

complete names including Middle & Maiden Names,
complete dates & places of birth, marriage, death & burial.
Name of the Cemetery & place where it is located, also
include any children or infants who may have died in
infancy or young.

F.C.

Mrs Paul E Sutton (Dorothy)
31 Delaware St
Sandusky, Michigan 48471

Rev. Paul E. Sutton died about 1977. He has sister
Mrs Ruth Nichols 2632 Washington Ave, St. Albans W Va
727-3734

Her New Address:

Dorothy M. Sutton → Mrs. Paul E. Sutton
3330 Saylor Drive
apt 10
Saginaw, Michigan 48603

4/23/89 - Letter in Pocahontas Times moving to Melrose, Massachusetts
in early spring. James Woodell of Greenbank has her genealogy.

Ruth Sutton Nichols

Ruth Leone Nichols, 83, died March 1, 1985, in St. Albans Memorial Hospital South Charleston, after a long illness.

Born November 29, 1901, in Green Bank, she was the daughter of the late William Wallace and Sadie Eiven Sutton and the last of the family.

She was a resident of St. Albans and a teacher and principal in Kanawha County for 45 years, retiring as principal from Ford School in Dunbar in December 1967.

She was a member of St. Albans United Methodist Church and Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority.

She was a graduate of Glenville State Teachers College, West Virginia Wesleyan, B. A., and West Virginia University, M. A. degree.

Preceding her in death was her husband, Clayton O. Nichols, four brothers, Merrill, Lawrence, Charles, and the Rev. Paul E. Sutton.

Services were held at Caskey & Curry Funeral Home with burial at Spring Hill Cemetery in Charleston

Boahontas Times

Mrs Ruth Sutton Nichols

Mrs Ruth Sutton Nichols, 83, of 2602 Washington Ave., St. Albans, died Friday at Thomas Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

She was a retired schoolteacher and principal with 47 years of service. She was a member of the St. Andrews United Methodist Church, St. Albans, and Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority.

Surviving: several nieces and nephews.

Service will be 11 a.m. Monday at Caskey-Curry Funeral Home St. Albans with the Rev. John Gary officiating. Burial will be in Spring Hill Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Charleston Gazette

husband,
Clayton

Frank W. Sutton

Cass - Frank W. Sutton, aged about 40 years, died suddenly at his home on Sunday morning, September 28, 1947. He is survived by his wife and their five children. He was a son of W. W. Sutton, of Back Alleghany. Burial was on Wednesday afternoon at the Wanless Cemetery on Back Alleghany.

The Pocahontas Times

See Page 455 Pioneer John Sutton Sr in History of Pocahontas Co Cassell
Page 454 French Cavern Sutton Family 1981

Jacob Cassell

Born: August 31, 1849

a farmer

Died: April 28, 1924 old age

74 yrs 7 months 28 days

Buried: Wanless Cemetery

Will dated July 20, 1915 Probated May 7, 1924

Spouse Married (He 39 yrs
She 20 yrs)

Pocahontas Co Clara Alice Sutton Nov 29, 1888

Solemnized by William H. Ballenger

Born March 17, 1868 near Hightower

March 19, 1868 on date record

Age died: May 13, 1947 microfilm

77 years month 24 days - Georgia

Burial Wanless Cemetery Due to Senile

Atrophy

His Parents

Samuel Sutton

Mary Eliza Valentine Donlinson Cassell

Her Parents ~~Step~~
Samuel Sutton

~~Wife~~ ~~Served~~

Margaret Warwick Sutton

Married August 10, 1837 minister

Solemnized by Jacob McNally, ~~Reverend~~

Her Parents

Rachel Arbogast

Samuel J. Sutton's will & Rachel Arbogast
made Nov 17, 1917 Probated July 25, 1922 lists the following family

was his wife

Confederate Soldier

lived on homestead

in North Fork

Creek

Frank S Sutton, Son

Elise William Sutton, Son

Clara A Cassell, Daughter

Ellie A. Luckman, Daughter

Rubina R. Gurn, Daughter

His Father

William W. Sutton born 1811

Married May 2, 1838 Nancy Jane Gurn

by Benjamin Tallman

Nancy Jane Sutton

Willis

1. ~~Ruth~~ Cassell

B. November, 1889

Died January 7, 1971

Burial ~~in~~ Wanless Cemetery

Married Pearl Drummond
born 1898

Elizabeth

2. ~~Rachel~~ Cassell (Teacher)

Born December 22, 1891

Died September 25, 1978

Burial: Arbovale Cemetery

Married Harry D. Woodrell

born August 4, 1885

Died April 30, 1923 Arbovale Cemetery

3. Frank W. Cassell

Greenbrier River

B. June 28, 1894

Buried by Dr. Norman

Died: December 9, 1959

Burial Wanless Cemetery

Married Hallie Sutton

4. Clyde Jacob

Cassell b. 1903

Born November 18, 1904

Died 1972

Married

1. Gertrude Lewis

(from side
Both wives
were sisters)

2nd wife

Grace E. Lewis

die August 31, 1980

Burial: Greenlawn Memorial Park

Akron, Ohio

(over)

The Socoontas Times 2/9/1933

Willie Cassell was down from Back Alleghany last Saturday. He told me that the loss of sheep from bears from the Cassell farm down through the years, directly and indirectly would run into the thousands of dollars, if there was any way to compute the loss. The direct loss was in sheep actually killed by bears; the indirect loss was in not keeping as many sheep as the farm would graze on account of the risk to run from bears killing them. Not until recent years, once the Zacy brothers have gone into bear hunting as a profession, has it been safe for the Cassells to graze sheep on their lands west of the Back Mountain Road. The big Chest wilderness is a bear haven, but in the last few years the Back Alleghany people have been able by systematically hunting them down, the sheep killing bears have not had long careers.

Willie Cassell

Willie Cassell, 81, of Cass, died Thursday, January 7, 1948 enroute to an Elkins Hospital. He was born in 1869.

He was a son of the late Jacob & Clara Sutton Cassell. A lifelong resident of Cass, he was a member of the Wrenless United Methodist Church and was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Pearl Cassell; ~~be~~ ~~two~~ ~~two~~

Three daughters, Mrs. Gayle Mullens, of Boyer,

Mrs. Beatrice Young, of Virginia Beach, Va.,

and Mrs. Charlotte Gafford, of Portsmouth, Va.;

Three sons, Neal Cassell, of Cass,

Jerry Cassell, of Richmond, Virginia,

and Greg Cassell, of Brandysburg, W. Va.,

one sister, Mrs. Rachel Wooddell, of Green Bank;

one brother, Clyde Cassell, of Akron, Ohio;

13 grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 P.M. in the Wrenless United Methodist Church by the Rev. Maynard Crawford and the Rev. Ezra Bennett with burial in the Wrenless Cemetery.

The Post-Courier-Times

Parents of Willie Cassell

Clara A. Sutton Cassell born March 17, 1868 died May 13, 1947
Her husband Jacob Cassell born August 31, 1849 died
April 28, 1924. She was Sam Sutton's daughter -
Both buried in Wrenless Cemetery.

His father nicknamed Big Jake. Marie says Jacob Cassell, Sr. ^{37 yrs}
Willie Cassell ^{born} ¹⁹¹⁹ - died 1979 - They have no children. He is school bus driver, owns Cassell Place on Wrenless
Siding

Pearl Drumheller Cassell born 1898. Still living. Is from Virginia.
She is Willie Cassell's wife. He answered an advertisement &
got her

Infant of Willie & Pearl Cassell

born in 1920 died Sept 28 1920

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1970

See Page 262 Harvey F. Cromer Jr Family in History of Rockdale Co
Also J. R. Cromer Family 1981

cromer

Annie Louise Greathouse -

b September 7, 1911 Durbin

d [redacted]

Burial

She was a member of 10 children

Married August 23, 1935 at Capland, MD

1. David Owen Cromer

b

d

Burial

Harvey Franklin Cromer, Jr.

b September 20, 1898 Chest Bridge Randolph County

d January 29, 1979

cause of Cancer

Burial

Married Patty Kellum

2. Donald Benjamin Cromer

b

d

Burial

He was a member of a family of 14 children

Married Judy

Her Parents

William Conner Greathouse

"Maggie"

Margaret Alice Hevener Greathouse

His Parents

Harvey F. Cromer

Frances Arbana Malcolm Cromer

James Rudolph Cromer

1892-1974 was brother of Harvey Franklin Cromer, Jr
Anza Belle Dickenson b 1896

Mrs. Minnie A. Bright

Mrs. Minnie Alice Bright, aged 81 years and ten months, widow of William Asbury Bright, died at her home near Williamsburg, on the early morning of November 24, 1950.

Surviving are a son, Paul M. Bright of Williamsburg; a brother, William Greathouse, Durbin; two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Degler, Minnetonka Springs and Mrs. Gertie Slaven of Hopewell, Va., and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Williamsburg Methodist Church on Monday, November 27, at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. J. Z. Geiger officiating. Burial in the church cemetery,

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

The Pocahontas Times

Cromer

David Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

Patry

Kellum

b

d

1. Karen

b

d

B

Married

2. Kris

Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

Cromer

David Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

Patry

Kellum

b

d

1. Karen

b

d

B

Married

2. Kris

Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

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The Pocahontas Times

Mary M. Moore

Mrs. Mary M. Moore, 72, of Durbin, died Monday, November 1, 1982, at her home of a heart condition.

She was born November 2, 1909, near Marlinton, the daughter of the late Charles and Melissa McPeters Morgan.

She had been a resident of Durbin most of her life and was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Isaac Moore, preceded her in death.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Bonnie Spee, of Durbin, Mrs. Lillie Belle Gimes, of Green Bank; two sisters, Mrs. Madeline Ratliff, of Bethel, Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Ella Greathouse, of Durbin; two brothers, James Morgan, of Elkins, and Lorne Morgan, of Durbin; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Bethel United Methodist Church by Rev. Mark Hickman with burial in the church cemetery.

The Beckley Times

Mrs. Herman Greathouse

Mrs. Vannie Mae Greathouse, 66, of Durbin, died Thursday, February 22, 1973, at her home.

She was a member of the Church of the Brethren at Durbin and was a lifelong resident of Pocahontas County.

Survivors include her husband, Herman Greathouse; one daughter, Mrs. Eva Rankin, of Madison, Ohio; one son, Buddy Greathouse, at home; one sister, Mrs. Annie Gragg, of ~~Blufffield~~, Marshfield, Missouri; eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Bethel United Methodist Church by the Rev. David Rittenhouse, the Rev. Virgil Kover and the Rev. Willis Summers, with burial in the Gum Cemetery on Buck Mountain.

The Pocahontas Times

Terrence L. Shifflett, has been a police officer in Herndon, Virginia for seven years. This year he received the Virginia Jaycees' Second Place Award for the "Outstanding young Law Enforcement officer" in the State of Virginia. He received the award at Williamsburg on February 17, in recognition of his contributions to the community.

Corporal Shifflett has coordinated the annual Christmas party for youngsters, which is conducted by the Herndon Police Department; in recent years it has been a joint Jaycees venture.

In addition to other projects in the Jaycees, he has served as a Boy Scout Leader and coached the Little League team. He has frequently provided counseling and guidance to juveniles, providing foster home care to needy and wayward children in his home. He is a member of the Citizens Support Team and liaison with the police force.

He is 31, married and the father of three children.

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Shifflett
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Thomas D. Shifflett

b

d

Burial

Married

b

d

Burial

Reside: Tallahassee, Florida

His Parents

Lyle Shifflett

Her Parents

Cromer

David Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

Patry

Kellum

b

d

1. Karen

b

d

b

Married

2. Kris

Cromer

b

d

Burial

Married

Cromer

Donald Cromer

b

d

B

Married

Judy

b

d

B

1. Michael

b

d

B

Married

2. Leslie

Cromer

b

d

B

Spouse

3. Jon David Cromer

b

d

B

Married

Herman William Greathouse
b June 18, 1906 Durbin
d October 18, 1978
Burial

1. Eva Greathouse
b
d
Burial

Married June 30, 1928
Vallie ^{mae} Wright
b
d February 21, 1973
Burial Gum cemetery
Back mountain

Married Bill Rankin

Picture

wedding anniversary

M. and Mrs. Herbert Greathouse, of Durbin, were honored recently at a surprise reception in observance of their 45th wedding anniversary.

The event was given by their children and was held at the Bethel United Methodist church, in Durbin. The couple was married on April 20, 1935 by the Rev. O. N. Miles at Marlinton.

Mrs. Greathouse is the daughter of the late Lawrence and Eva Lennison, of Marlinton. Mr. Greathouse is the son of the late William and Maggie Greathouse, of Durbin.

Upon arrival the couple's daughter, Mrs. Carol Ater, presented her mother and father with a yellow rosebud corsage and yellow rose boutonniere respectively.

Hostesses for the occasion were their daughters, Mrs. Phyllis Henckin, Mrs. Carol Ater and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Ann Greathouse. Accepting gifts were their daughter, Mrs. Linda Meyers.

A color scheme of green, yellow and pink was used in decorations. The three tier anniversary cake was trimmed with yellow roses and green leaves and topped with lovebirds. The tables were decorated with green, yellow and pink candles and the flower arrangements were made of yellow and white runs accented with baby's breath and greenery.

The couple has five children and seven grandchildren.

all of whom were present for the occasion. They are as follows:

Robert Greathouse and Barbara Bell, of Charleston, South Carolina; Mr and Mrs Ray (Phyllis) Houchin, Curtis and Sonya; Mrs Barry (Carol) Alter, Susan and David; Mr and Mrs. Larry Greathouse and Damon, all of Lititz, Pennsylvania, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger (Linda) Moyers and Jamey, of Monterey, Virginia.

The couple also has two great-grandchildren, approximately 50 friends and relatives attended the reception.

The Pocahontas Times

1980

Rankin

Eva Greathouse
f
d
Burial

Married
William
"Bill" Rankin
f
d
Burial

Resides Madison, Ohio

1. Pamela Rankin
b
d
Burial
Married Ronnie Barnes
2. Sue Ann Rankin
b
d
Burial
Married Lester Short
3. Vicki Rankin

Her Parents

Herman William Greathouse
Vallie Wright Greathouse

His Parents

Barb Rankin